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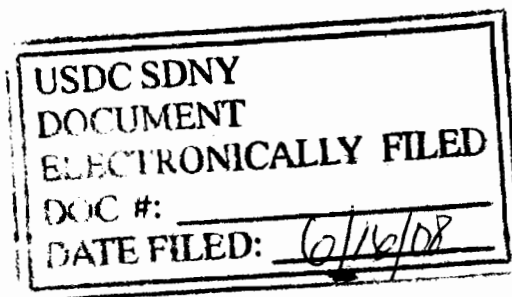
**MEMO ENDORSED**

86 Chambers Street  
New York, New York 10007

June 13, 2008

By Hand

Honorable Theodore H. Katz  
United States Magistrate Judge  
United States Courthouse  
500 Pearl Street, Room 1660  
New York, New York 10007



Re: Lourdes Romero v. Astrue  
07 Civ. 10703 (CM) (THK)

Dear Judge Katz:

This Office represents the Commissioner of Social Security, defendant in the above-referenced action. The parties have verbally agreed to a voluntary remand in this case. Therefore, with the consent of plaintiff pro se, I respectfully request an extension of two weeks from June 16, 2008, until June 30, 2008, to submit a signed stipulation of remand.

Two prior extensions have been granted to defendant as the answer was originally due on March 17, 2008.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Respectfully,

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*Entered.*

**SO ORDERED**

6/16/08 Theodore H. Katz

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UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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